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Scott found in violation of parliamentary convention

Chad Ingram

Staff reporter

Ontario's Integrity Commissioner has ruled that Haliburton-Kawartha Lakes-Brock MPP Laurie Scott violated parliamentary rules through the use

In a report dated Oct. 1, integrity commissioner Lynn Morrison ruled that Scott contravened parliamentary convention by using her constituency website to promote a Progressive Conservative fundraiser.

A complaint was filed by Ottawa-Orleans MPP Phil McNeely in July.

McNeely first attempted to file the complaint in early June, but because he had not registered the complaint with the Speaker of the House, it was not made an official complaint under the Members' Integrity Act until July.

Following media coverage of the initial complaint in June, Scott contacted the integrity commissioner's office for clarification on the allegations.

"Within a day, she contacted this office again to indicate she had found the entry about the fundraiser on the website and that it had been removed," Morrison wrote in her report. "She advised that it was a mistake and that it shouldn't

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Motorcycle driver in critical condition

Angelica Blenich

Staff reporter

A 28-year-old man is still recovering from a motorcycle accident that took place more than a week ago.

On Friday Sept. 27 the Haliburton Highlands OPP responded to an incident at the corner of Pine Avenue and Park Street in Haliburton Village at about 9:50 p.m.

Preston Johnston was found by Haliburton EMS lying on

Park Street after he had been thrown from an off-road Honda motorcycle he was driving, according to the OPP.

The young man from Highlands East was taken to Haliburton hospital with serious injuries before being air lifted to a hospital in Toronto.

"It sounds pretty serious," said Const. Paul Potter of the Haliburton Highlands OPP. "At first we thought he wasn't even going to make it, and then we thought he would be paralyzed. Hopefully he can walk; you wouldn't wish that on anybody."

Potter did not specify what Johnston's current medical

condition was but did confirm it was not a hit-and-run incident

"I think he just lost control," said Potter. "We certainly have a good idea of what went on."

Haliburton Highlands officers are being assisted by OPP regional collision investigators to determine the cause of the collision.

Charges had not been laid at press time and witnesses are asked to contact the OPP.

Potter said police are still investigating whether or not alcohol was a factor in the incident.

Riding to remain mostly intact

Chad Ingram

Staff reporter

It's official – the federal electoral riding of Haliburton-Kawartha Lakes-Brock will remain largely intact.

The Federal Electoral Boundaries Commission, which started the reorganization of the federal ridings in February of 2012, released its final report on Sept. 30.

Haliburton County, the City of Kawartha Lakes and Brock Township (part of Durham Region) will remain united, along with the township of Cavan-Monaghan, part of Peterborough County.

The riding will shed the municipalities of North Kawartha and Trent Lakes (formerly Galway, Cavendish and Harvey), which join the electoral district of Peterborough.

In the spring of 2012, the commission's original proposal split Haliburton-Kawartha Lakes- Brock, grouping Haliburton County and the northern portion of the City of Kawartha

Lakes with Uxbridge, and Lindsay and area with Port Hope and Cobourg.

There was outcry against the splitting of the long-united riding (formerly Victoria-Haliburton) from MP Barry Devolin, MPP Laurie Scott and then-warden Murray Fearrey.

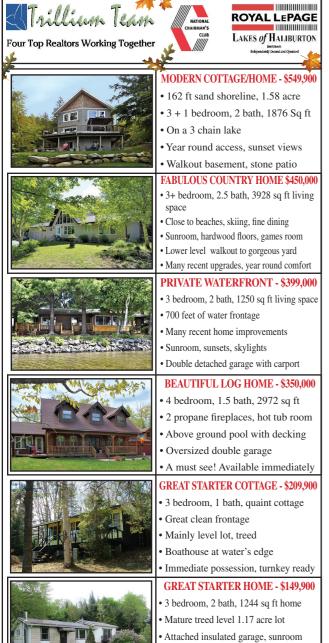
Public meetings on the process took place in late fall of last year.

The second draft of the report, released in February of this year, regrouped Haliburton County and the City of Kawartha Lakes

The process took place in order to equalize the populations of the ridings, as well as add 15 new ones in Ontario.

New ridings are being introduced mostly in the GTA, including in Markham, Mississauga, Brampton, Oakville, Toronto and York as well as in Cambridge, Durham, Ottawa and Simcoe. The changes will increase the number of ridings in Ontario from 106 to 121.

The population of Haliburton-Kawartha Lakes-Brock is



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Like a waving flag

The CARP Haliburton Chapter's chairman Bob Stinson, left, and vice-chairman Peter Minaki show off their flag after the ceremonial raising to celebrate National Seniors Day at the A.J. LaRue Arena in Haliburton on Tuesday, Oct. 1.

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LHIN absent from integration meeting

Angelica Blenich

Staff reporter

On Oct. 1, members of the public gathered at the Haliburton campus of Fleming College in the hopes of getting a clearer understanding of what to expect from the integration process being undertaken by the Central East Local Health Integration Network.

About a dozen people attended the meeting, including representatives from SIRCH, Community Care Haliburton County and VON (Victorian Order of Nurses) Canada.

However, absent from the meeting were representatives from the LHIN and the Haliburton Highlands Health Services organization.

In the works since the beginning of the year, the integration plan calls for a new health services structure, combining HHHS and Community Care Haliburton County, while absorbing SIRCH's hospice program and the adult day program provided by VON.

Those involved with the integration have been meeting on a regular basis throughout the year, said SIRCH executive director Gena Robertson.

Robertson and Community Care executive director Maureen Ruttig facilitated a roundtable discussion, answering questions from those in attendance.

Community Care board member Annette Richardson wanted to know what the LHIN expected to get out of this process and where the savings were going to be found.

Richardson and others were disappointed there was no one from the

LHIN at the meeting.
"It's disgraceful that there are only three organizations here," said Richard-

Others expressed concern for the clients and how it would impact them.

"They are always at the front of our thoughts," said Ruttig.

SIRCH will continue operating as it does now but will lose funding from the LHIN, said Robertson.

"Yes, we will have a bit of a blow," she said.

Questions on whether jobs would be lost in the process also arose.

Both Robertson and Ruttig said they did not believe that would be the case, as they would try very hard to accommodate everyone during the process.

Concern about the volunteer base was also expressed by many present.

Both Ruttig and Robertson thought in terms of volunteering much could be improved with the new model, including alleviating the requirement for individuals to get multiple police checks.

'The other thing with this model is that we're looking at one entry point for volunteers," said Robertson. "It's back to a real community-neighbourhood kind of model."

Ruttig said many of the organizations involved in the integration already share volunteers.

"We like to say they're our volunteers, but no, they're not, they're the community's volunteers," said Ruttig.

Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation chairman Peter Oyler believed the integration would create a "one-stop shopping" type of experience for those needing health and community services.



Angelica Blenich Staff

A roundtable discussion was led by representatives of SIRCH, Community Care Haliburton County and VON on Oct. 1 to help members of the public better understand the LHIN integration process currently

Represtatives are advocating that fundraising dollars stay within the community where they were raised, said Ruttig.

Fay Wilkinson asked if the names of the organizations involved would actually disappear.

While SIRCH and VON would keep their names intact, it was still under negotiation between HHHS and Community Care, said Ruttig.

"Sounds like it's a likely possibility," said Wilkin-

Carole Browne wondered if in the future all the services would come under one roof.

"It is a possibility," said Dale Walker, executive director of the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation, adding there is property availa-

The LHIN would likely make the final decision during the integration process, said Walker. "They are the funder," she said.

The integration plan is expected to be passed by the LHIN board by the end of this calendar year, with implementation beginning in January of next

Transitional funds will be available, said Robertson.

The new model will be rolled out in April of 2014 and in place by 2015, said Ruttig.

Feedback from the public meetings would be taken back to the table, to help with the integration planning process.

Additional public meetings were scheduled to take place in Minden and Wilberforce.

Ruttig encouraged those with questions or concerns to contact the Central East LHIN directly, either by phone or email.

More information can be found by visiting www. centraleastlhin.on.ca.





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The newly installed sculpture Atmo-Sphere is the most recent addition to the Glebe Park **Sculpture Forest** in Haliburton. Created and constructed by Nelson, British Columbia artist, John McKinnon, the installation sculpture gives people a unique perspective.

Darren Lum Staff

Granite sphere finds a home in the forest

It was a conversation over lunch with Barb Bolin, chair of the board of the Haliburton Sculpture Forest, last summer that inspired Chere Campbell to donate the funds to the Haliburton Sculpture Forest for a new sculpture to be installed

The Sculpture Forest is such a wonderful place for people to go for a walk and be inspired by the work of so many artists. I was delighted to make a contribution to this unique place," said Campbell.

Located in Glebe Park in the village of Haliburton, the Haliburton Sculpture Forest acquires new works in a number of ways; sometimes it is through the direct donation of a specific sculpture by the artists or a benefactor, sometimes it is a specific commission and other times it is done through a national competition funded by grants or a donor. Campbell decided that a competition would be the most interesting approach and chose the theme "A Secret Space."

The terms of reference described it in this way: one of the wonders of the Haliburton Highlands is the number of nooks and crannies in out of the way, quiet places where one can sit and read a book or listen to the sounds of nature. We are looking for a sculpture that creates this meditative space - a space in which one or two people could read a book, have lunch or simply lounge in the quiet of the forest. The sculpture needs to be designed in such a way that it evokes the feeling of a secret, special and welcoming place.

The Sculpture Forest received 50 submissions from across Canada. A jury narrowed the field down to five pieces and Campbell selected the winner, Atmo-Sphere by John McKinnon, a sculptor from Nelson, B.C.

It didn't take Campbell long to make the choice.

"This piece responded perfectly to what I was looking for,"

McKinnon has spent most of the past 40 years working in stone, bronze, steel, clay, concrete and mixed media working from his studio in Nelson. He has a long-time relationship with the Haliburton area. In the mid-1980s he was invited to teach a course at the Haliburton School of The Arts and has been a visiting instructor in Haliburton many times over the past 30 years.

McKinnon's sculpture A Conspiracy of Ravens was chosen in the 2012 Sculpture Forest Competition. He didn't expect to win two years in a row.

"There are a lot of talented sculptors in Canada so I didn't think I had much of a chance," McKinnon said. "But this year's theme perfectly matched a sculpture that I have been imagining for a long time. It is completely different from last year's piece and different from anything else that I have created. I love spending time in Haliburton and was thrilled to spend most of the summer here teaching and creating this piece."

The work is an eight-foot sphere built out of granite from McBain Quarries near Minden. There is a narrow doorway that invites the viewer to go inside the sphere. The floor is created from green and black polished granite and an octagonal cedar bench frames the inner space.

On the floor is carved a quotation from the 13th century Persian poet Rumi, illuminated by light coming from a circular opening at the top of the dome.

As you walk along the trail you see a large stone sphere, which looks as if it just dropped in the forest from the sky. You have to enter into the forest and walk around the sculpture to find a doorway and discover that the interior of the structure is also "a secret space."

It provides a cozy spot for a few people to sit and have a chat or a place for an individual to rest and contemplate. If you look up you can see the majestic canopy formed by the maples trees that surround the sculpture.

Over the past 12 years McKinnon has developed an interest in working in the ephemeral media of ice, snow and sand. The creation of these non-permanent works has taken him to a number of exotic places around the world. This summer he was commissioned by the Haliburton Rotary Club to create a sand sculpture of a dragon in Head lake Park as part of this summer's Rotary Carnival.

The Haliburton Sculpture Forest is located in Glebe Park at the edge of the village of Haliburton. Admission is free but donations are welcome.

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Forever in our memories: Creighton Feir

Finding the forest

Angelica Blenich

Reporter

AST WEEKEND I took my very first stroll through the Haliburton Sculpture Forest.

It only took me four years. Now before you get all worked up

let me explain. It's not that I've never been to the sculpture forest before, because I

Twice I've attended the unveilings of new additions to the forest, created by talented artists from the Highlands and beyond.

It is not a stretch of the truth to say I get excited when I hear there will be

a new sculpture revealed to the public. Each unveiling I have attended has been met with great fanfare.

The exquisite detail and care that is showcased with each piece of art is just one of the reasons the forest is a centerpiece for the county and visited by many tourists each year.

However, before last weekend I had never taken the time to walk through the entire forest, carefully looking at each work of art that calls the sculpture forest home.

So you can imagine my delight when there, amongst the trees, I fell upon Atmo-Sphere, the newest sculpture created by John McKinnon, set against the backdrop of vibrant, fall foliage.

A globe-like structure built out of rocks, Atmo-Sphere is unlike anything else in the sculpture forest, and it has already attracted much fanfare, without even being officially unveiled.

Its celebrity status was cemented when my very own mother, who

> resides in the GTA, texted me to tell me she had just watched a segment on CTV News Barrie about the sculpture forest.

As they say, good news travels fast and sometimes even a tuned-in reporter can't keep up!

It's no coincidence that following that TV segment the Barrie tourism office contacted curator of the sculpture forest Jim Blake

to request more brochures be sent their way.

Blake said he is continually astounded at the attention the forest is met with, as he estimates more than 10,000 visitors make their way through the trees each year from all over the world.

Writers from all over the globe have written about the sculptures found in a small village in central Ontario, highlighting not only the art but the

Only 12 years old, the sculpture forand open around the clock.

It really is a gem amongst jewels within this county and I feel lucky to be able to visit it whenever I please.



Head Lake traffic

Photo by Darren Lum

Happy Thanksgiving

Gail Stelter

BIA in the Village

T DIDN'T RAIN! The sun came out and joined the festival. A Colour-Fest thank you to all for supporting

our small town, friendly, BIA event. Thank you to all the sponsors and the volunteers.

Thank you to all who stopped to chat and share. It was really quite awesome to see so many people in town catching the festival spirit.

Congratulations to Paul Voisin on winning the Guess the Weight of the Giant Pumpkin at 512 pounds.

First place in the business/ store category of the scarecrow contest went to The Woodpeck-

er's Cabin and Rianne Mann was the winner in the individual/family category. The "Storytime Scarecrow," June Carter, brought smiles to our faces as she took first place as the best live scarecrow.

The pet contest was yet another great success for both participants and spectators. I will post all the winning pooches on the ColourFest website.

It was a great day!

So, now it's time for other autumn pursuits; for walking the woods at Glebe Park and through the Sculpture Forest; visiting the museum and galleries; taking in the second weekend of the studio tour and switching gears to family and Thanksgiving. Bring your family to town. Visit our shops and stores and take pictures at the fall displays.

Have you seen our newest village resident at the caboose at Head Lake Park? Her name is Miss Bottom and her first name is, of course, Hali. She is one of our happy village scarecrows and she loves to have her picture taken with all our residents and visitors.

This could be a new Thanksgiving tradition!

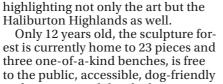
Small Business Promotion Week is Oct. 20 to 26 and the BIA and Bank of Montreal are partnering together to celebrate. We are going to set up a display within the BMO branch for the week and the display will include a list of our members, pictures of our events and a spot for our members to post their business cards. There will be a

"Test Your Knowledge of the BIA" question whereby you put your answer in the pocket. All the correct answers will go into a draw and one person will win a cash prize of \$50.

Mark these dates and times on your November calendar: the Santa Claus Parade on Friday, Nov. 22 at 6:30 p.m. brought to you by the BIA and Haliburton Lions Club; Winter Warm Up at the Haliburton Legion after the parade on Friday, Nov. 22 brought to you by the BIA and Haliburton Legion; and, Santa Day at Rails End Gallery on Saturday, Nov. 22 from noon until 2 p.m. brought to you by the BIA, the Haliburton Lions Club, Rails End Gallery and photos with Santa by The Photo Shop. This is one weekend you don't want to miss and I look forward to keeping you up to date on all the details as it draws near.

Giving thanks comes easy when you live in the Highlands.

Happy Thanksgiving!





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points of view

A new duck dog

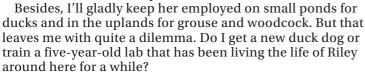
AST WEEK, my springer spaniel, who is normally an exceptional duck dog, decided to take early retirement at the age of nine. It didn't take a genius to see her time in the big marshes had come to an end.

Between you and me, I think it was the long breaks she took during mid-retrieve that clued me in. She'd charge into the cover and I'd see the cattails move for about ten yards. Then she'd stop for a few minutes while she had a smoke or read a

magazine article. That was followed by her return and a look that said, "I tried. It's not there."

All this is to say that, sadly, Callie can no longer handle the big marsh covers like she has done for years. In fact, every duck she retrieved last week was in open water, which is nice but also something I can do – although admittedly, I dislike the taste of feathers.

As much as it pains me, I don't hold any of this against her. Sometimes you have to know when to quit and my little spaniel has earned it.



Millie, the lab in question, retrieves and swims well enough. She just hasn't had much time around guns or any proper training. I'm thinking she's worth the effort, however. She's strong, fit and enthusiastic, so why not?

In one way, I'm looking forward to all this.

Training a duck dog and watching it make its first retrieve is one of the great thrills of the sport. This will be particularly interesting since, believe or not, I've only hunted ducks with golden retrievers and springer spaniels. For some reason, I've avoided the classic breeds like labs or chessies.

I'm long overdue.

Steve Galea

Loon Tales

So, late this week, after I return from a southern U.S. quail hunting trip, I will begin the process of training Millie, which, as any dog trainer knows, is probably more of a process of training yourself to do all the right things consistently.

I'll take a dog training book with me on my trip and read it on the flight there and back. And hopefully this will remind me of all the subtle little things you need to remember to help a retriever succeed – like read a book, for instance.

We'll work on steadying her so that she doesn't rush off until I tell her too. We'll slowly acclimatize her to gunfire so that the shot doesn't scare her any more than it does the ducks I aim at.

Hopefully, by the end of this season, she'll have retrieved a duck or two. But, if she isn't ready for that it will be all right too. Next year, she'll be raring to go.

I'm going to miss Callie's presence in the duck blind. And, knowing her, she's going to miss it too. But we all get older and she's had a real good run.

And there are still plenty of grouse covers for her to explore – the slower the pace the better, in fact.

Millie, on the other hand, might actually enjoy a bit of time in the marsh. After all, it's part of her heritage.

As for Callie, well she deserves the life of Riley too.

pic of the past

Tom Batchelor, was born in 1859, County Wiltshire, England. Medals that he owned, I believe, represent honours bestowed on him while carrying out his police duties during the reign of Queen Victoria and EdwardVII.

On retirement Tom moved to Haliburton and lived in a cottage on the Stewart Estate (where the County high school stands today). It was called Newnham House. He was married to Annie Budd who was born in Wimbleton, England in 1863 and died in Minden in 1953.

Tom died in 1944 in Haliburton village. Their son Arthur, became municipal clerk for Dysart et al and drowned mysteriously in Head lake in 1932. His widow, Mary Walling, boarded school teachers for many years near the old Public School on Victoria Street. The Batchelor's daughter, Amy, married William Coneybeare and after his death she married Harry Easton. Lance and Shirley Easton were their children. The Eastons lived in Minden and founded the Easton grocery stores. Tom and Annie Batchelor were my great, great uncle and aunt. Submitted by Tom Hodgson



letters to the editor

Customer satisfaction

To the Editor,

I recently purchased a new vehicle from Curry Chevrolet. Within a very short period, serious issues with the vehicle became apparent.

The sales staff, the service staff and the new owner, Bill Campbell, all worked diligently to come to a solution for the issue.

Finally, with the assistance of General Motors, an amicable solution was arrived at.

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David M. Bishop

Where does all the stuff go?

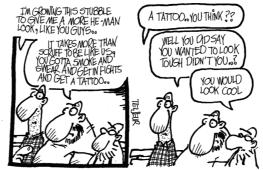
To the Editor,

Thanks to the *Echo* and all the folks at the CHA and other organizations for keeping septic system health in the public eye and mind. Whether our municipalities eventually opt for mandatory inspection or not, I am sure that the in-depth information is changing more than a few old habits.

If you are involved with one of the lake or property owners' associations you have been exposed to this a great deal in the last couple of years. This always seems especially important, as these groups address

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BOONIEVILLE









Niagara region visitors Ben Pomeroy and his daughter Stella, 2, try their hand at painting at Kids' Colour Splash.





The audience applauds the Shout Sister Choir at the Colourfest 2013 held on Highland Street in the Village of Haliburton on Saturday, Oct. 5. There was a variety of things to do at the annual Haliburton Village BIA fall festival from the pet contest, classic car show, farmer's market, pontoon boat rides to the entertainment.

Colourfest offers fun for all

Photos by Darren Lum



Lucy shows her winning steps during the best dancer event in the pet contest at Colourfest.



The Shout Sister Choir sings to a small gathering on Highland Street at Colourfest 2013 in Haliburton on Saturday, Oct. 5.

Studio tour offers a variety of unique finds

Photos by Darren Lum



Art buyers peruse the creations of potters Lisa Barry and Matt Mihilik at the 26th annual Haliburton County Studio Tour. The tour continues Thanksgiving weekend (Oct. 12 to 13) and is from 10 to 5 p.m.



Art patrons walk through artist Charles O'Neil's studio Bent Offering Studio during the 26th annual Haliburton County Studio Tour on Saturday, Oct. 5. The tour continues Thanksgiving weekend (Oct. 12 to 13) and is from 10 to 5 p.m.

CHA stresses importance of environmental actions

Angelica Blenich

Staff reporter

The Coalition of Haliburton Property Owners continues to advocate for the environment.

On Sept. 21 the CHA held their annual general meeting at the Fish Hatchery in Haliburton

More than 50 representatives from throughout the county participated in discussions about mandatory septic inspections, fish populations, lake levels, natural shorelines and other issues facing local lakes.

CHA chairman Paul MacInnes updated those in attendance on the many projects the organization is currently undertaking, which is now up at 13.

"We are at our max," he said.

Two of the most significant initiatives the group has spearheaded are advocating for healthy septic systems and renaturalizing shorelines.

"There has been a lot of discussion all summer long about this," said MacInnes.

There is not yet support from the public for

mandatory septic inspections and some lake associations are fighting against them, said MacInnes.

However the CHA is looking into training professionals such as contractors and land-scapers on septic systems.

Climate change project coordinator for the Ministry of Natural Resources Gary Nielsen spoke about how the province is addressing climate change issues.

A forester by profession, Nielsen admitted he wasn't an expert on climate change.

"People are still unsure about what to say to skeptics," said Nielsen, adding there were fewer of them now. "Hopefully I can give you some ammunition."

Although Canada had come a long way in addressing climate change, Nielsen believed more needed to be done.

"The bottom line is we're not making the progress we need to make," he said.

Action needs to come from the top down, he said, pointing to examples like the Kyoto Protocol.

Looking at the state of biodiversity in Canada and the ecological footprint left by Canadians, Nielsen questioned whether we were



Resources climate change project coordinator Gary Nielsen describes the impacts changing weather patterns are having on our lakes at the Coalition of Haliburton Property Owners' Association meeting on Sept. 21 at the Haliburton Fish Hatchery.

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living within nature's capacity.

"It confounds me that there is such a vested interest in the status quo."

Warm lake temperatures are just one of the issues affecting local property owners as a result of climate change.

Fearful the ecosystem's integrity will be

challenged, the MNR has conducted "world class research" to help create adaptation planning for environmental values, said Nielsen.

"There's no plan B, no other planet to go to," he said. "We already know what we have to do."

The Fort Irwin community gives back

Janet Trull

Special to the Echo

When Haliburton Lake cottagers arrive at the beginning of the summer, one of their first stops is always Fort Irwin Marina. That's the place to catch up on local news, get the boat out of storage, and see what the owners have chosen as their annual fundraiser. Last year, Brad and Maria Willing collected and wrapped 50,000 pennies, and then matched the \$500 for a total donation of \$1,000, which went to the 4Cs in time to buy Thanksgiving turkeys for families in Haliburton County.

This year, when cottagers arrived, they got right on board with the Willings' charity of choice for 2013. Brad and Maria arranged to partner with Blue Wave Energy to help some local people with their fuel costs this coming winter.

Lynn Waugh, the operations supervisor for Blue Wave Energy, is a Wilberforce resident. "Our Minden office employs eight local service, delivery and office workers," she says. "We live and work in Haliburton County, so we are happy for this opportunity to give something back."

Brad and Maria Willing are well aware that the current economy has left many people struggling to pay their bills. "So many families are overwhelmed with the cost of utilities, even if they have two jobs. Meeting those monthly payments can be difficult, and the heating bill can swallow up a family's budget, especially through the winter months," Maria says.

The Willings were not surprised when Haliburton Lake residents and cottagers started filling up the jug on the marina counter with loonies and toonies. In the end, \$560 was collected. After Fort Irwin Marina and Blue Wave Energy each matched that amount, there was a total of \$1,680 to "warm up the winter".

With the forecast for a colder than average winter, this will be a good year to help out on fuel costs. "It's not a hand out," the Willings say. "We consider it a hand up. And everyone can use a hand up once in a while."

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Brad and Maria Willing from Fort Irwin Marina along Blue Wave Energy match donations given by local residents and cottagers to help those less fortunate.



Messy business

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many of those whose decisions about septic system maintenance have the most immediate effect on the health of our lakes and rivers; informing to the public at large, whether or not they can look from their tile-bed to the shore, is at least as important, though.

But what about the next step? Do we have any idea where it all goes? Where is "away"?

Mostly, I think, we assume that it will go to a properly managed and inspected municipal facility, a septage lagoon or other treatment facility. Unfortunately, this is not always the case.

Much of our septic waste will be spread on the land at private sites which, though they are provincially permitted and generally well operated, are not subject to the sort of control and inspection that a Municipal lagoon or treatment facility would be.

As a result, some of our septic waste ends up being removed from places where it is far from sensitive shorelands and deposited on the surface of the ground in areas that, to most sensible folks, would be inappropriately close to someone's backyard, or even in spots where it can make it quite easily into our lakes and rivers

Our municipalities spend much time and money on maintaining, and seeking out more room for, septage facilities that can handle the continuous tsunami. It is a not easy to find enough space for proper disposal/treatment of septic waste, but that is no excuse to allow questionable disposal sites to continue operation in spite of questions and complaints from neighbours and concerned citizens as, unfortunately, is sometimes the case.

Take some time to ask where the pumper is headed, and consider asking your provincial authorities to keep up their part of the system.

Away from your house shouldn't mean closer to someone else's, and it's insane to pump and truck away your waste from near your lakeshore if it's just going to mixed with hundreds of other tanks full and trickle into the river upstream from you!



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MPP takes full responsibility for actions

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have been placed on the website."

Scott does not do her own posting to the website and the main staff member responsible for posting to the site did not recall posting information about the fundraiser.

Scott requested training for her staff, with a training session taking place June 19.

"In my opinion, it does not matter who posted the material; it was a mistake and it was corrected, "Morrison wrote. "I am satisfied, particularly in light of Ms. Scott's proactive step of securing training from this office, that the likelihood of a similar mistake happening in the future is remote."

Scott told the *Times* the incident was a mistake and that once she was aware, took steps to correct it.

"We made sure the integrity commissioner's office spoke to

all the staff," Scott said. "You can't rule out what happened."
While she does not personally maintain the website, the
MPP shouldered the blame for the incident.

"It's my responsibility," she said.

Although there was a contravention, Morrison noted that Scott took responsibility and offered an apology and therefore recommended no penalty.

"I think that people in this riding expect that constituency services will be offered in a non-partisan manner," Niki Worton, president of the Haliburton-Kawartha Lakes-Brock Liberal riding association told the *Times*.

Worton said the rules were simple enough to follow, especially from a veteran MPP.

"I don't think anyone was looking for Ms. Scott to be handed a large penalty," she said, adding that the incident was out there and constituents were aware of it.

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Description of Lands:

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Tenders must be submitted in the prescribed form and must be accompanied by a deposit in the form of a money order or of a bank draft or cheque certified by a bank or trust corporation payable to the municipality and representing at least 20 per cent of the tender amount.

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Rotary exchange brings Belgium to Canada



Eighteen-year-old Oceane Hames will call Haliburton home for the next year

Angelica Blenich

Staff reporter

From a small town in southern Belgium, Océane Hames travelled across the ocean this past summer to make her first ever trip to North America.

It wasn't a vacation that brought the 18-year-old to the Haliburton Highlands, but a once in a lifetime opportunity through the Rotary exchange program.

Arriving in Toronto on Aug. 16, Hames was greeted by her first host family, the McTeagues, at the airport.

Since then her time on Canadian soil has been filled with a trip to Science North in Sudbury, a Blue Jays baseball game, bonfires, bike rides, Kawartha Dairy ice cream, a tree top trekking adventure and much more.

Hames will be living in the Highlands until the middle of next summer, spending time with different host families throughout the year.

It was the opportunity to see a different part of the world and experience a new culture that intrigued the teenager, and why she signed up for the exchange offered through the international service club.

"It was to learn English primarily," said Hames. "As well as to learn another culture and live another life."

Although this is the first exchange for Hames, she is familiar with the process as her father is a Rotarian and her family

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has hosted students from other parts of the world.

Born and raised in Arlon, a town in the southern part of Belgium, Hames speaks both French and German.

With a population of just under 30,000, Arlon is bigger than Haliburton Village in its number of residents but not in it's geographic size.

"My town is very concentrated in one area," she said. "It's more urban."

Since arriving, Hames has had a pleasant experience in the county, enjoying the fall colours and outdoors.

"I like it a lot, I think people are really friendly," she said. In November Hames will be travelling to New York to partake in a Rotary conference, marking her first trip to the U.S. "I am excited," she said.

Hames spends her days attending Haliburton Highlands Secondary School, where she takes typical Grade 12 classes such as math, physics and home economics.

When she returns to Belgium next year Hames plans on pursuing a degree in environmental engineering.

With a wide range of interests, one of Hames's hobbies is music, as she plays many instruments.

One of the biggest adjustments Hames has had to make since arriving is adapting to North American meals, with the Belgian unaccustomed to eating lighter fare during the day and a big meal for dinner.

And it didn't take long to introduce the teenager to Canadian staples.

"She'd never had bacon before," said Michele Kennedy McTeague, her host mother.

"And she had poutine for the first time," said daughter Tatum McTeague.

Hames is the first exchange student the McTeagues have ever hosted and each member of the family is enjoying the experience thus far.

"It's like having another sister," said Tatum.

Homesickness is not something that has even crossed Hames's mind yet, as she is enjoying her time in Ontario too

A middle child in a family of five, Hames was quick to adapt to her Canadian family.

"She's just been a part of the family since day one, it never felt like she was a stranger," said Michele. "It's just like she's another daughter."

"They [the McTeagues] are very welcoming," said Hames. Michele is the youth exchange coordinator for the Haliburton Rotary Club and encourages anyone interested in doing



Angelica Blenich Staff

Haliburton Rotary exchange student Oceane Hames, left, enjoys the sunshine and fall colours with Tatum McTeague on Oct. 2. From Belgium, Hames arrived in Canada this past August and has been staying with McTeague and her family since then.

an exchange or hosting Hames to contact her at 705-457-3309 or by email at mcteaguedrafting@gmail.com.

Those interested in hosting an exchange student do not have to be members of Rotary.

"Also, since Océane is here for the year to learn the culture it would be wonderful if people from the community would contact her to spend some time with her," Michele told the paper. "Even if it's just to go to their place for dinner or to play a game of cards or to watch a movie or to go for a bike ride... that would be great."

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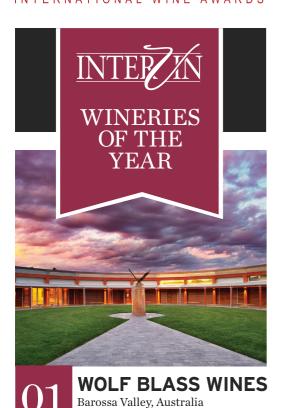


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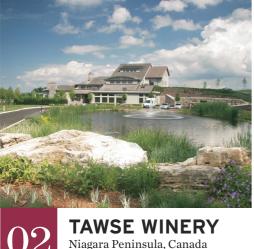
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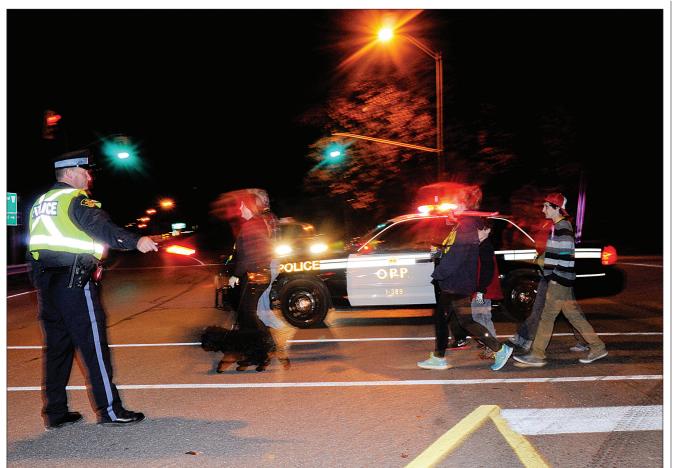
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OHBA presents annual awards

The Ontario Home Builders' Association (OHBA) presented the Hamilton-Halton Home Builders' Association (HHHBA) with its 2013 OHBA Local Association of the Year Award at the association's Annual Conference at the Niagara Fallsview Casino Conference Centre in Niagara Falls.

Prominent among a list of outstanding achievements was HHHBA's strong growth in membership, innovative communications and awareness campaigns, as well as comprehensive government relations and advocacy efforts. Most notably, HHHBA successfully reached a settlement with their municipality regarding Development Charges that were inaccurately collected over a period of almost two years, ensuring that home owners who were overcharged would get a refund.

Heavily involved in encouraging youth to pursue careers within the industry, HH-HBA has also supported and donated to several charitable causes including Habitat for Humanity and Citykidz.

"HHHBA are active participants on government advocacy work on behalf of the entire province," said OHBA CEO Joe Vaccaro, who noted, "Their membership is not only growing, but highly engaged and enthusiastically supportive of the work of OHBA."

Lyn Townsend, of Townsend and Associates was named 2013 OHBA Member of the Year. Townsend, a member of the



GTA-based Building Industry and Land Development Association (BILD) was recognized for her hard work and dedication providing legal assistance and advice on countless development and planning issues that affect the association and its members. Her expertise has provided members with the knowledge and tools needed in order to forge ahead with community development and growth. "Lyn has been a true leader and advocate for the industry," said Vaccaro, who added,

"She has lent her invaluable talents to several local associations in addition to BILD and OHBA, helping them navigate sometimes complex and complicated legal processes". Townsend will serve as chair of an OHBA committee formed to address government consultations on Development Charges in the coming year.

Aggie Tose, Executive Officer of Haliburton County Home Builders' Association was awarded the David Horton Leadership Award recognizing her outstanding contributions to the industry and her fellow association professionals. Tose is Chair of OHBA's Executive Officers' Council and is respected and admired by her peers for providing exceptional support and assistance to fellow EOs in Ontario and across the country. "Aggie is a seasoned professional who is always ready, willing and able to help her colleagues," said Vaccaro, who added, "She represents what this award is all about - integrity, dedication and commitment to the industry and her profession." The award honours the memory of David Horton who served as Executive Director of OHBA for more than 25 years before his death in May, 2011.

This year, in conjunction with the Ministry of Natural Resources, OHBA awarded its first Environmental Stewardship Award to recognize outstanding efforts to ensure the environmental sustainability of a community and its lands. This year's award was presented to five companies within

the Mount Pleasant Landowners Group that showed tremendous ingenuity and environmental care in the development of the 'Mount Pleasant, Block 1, Brampton' project created by: Paradise Homes, Mattamy Homes, Rosehaven Homes, Primont Homes and Stanford Homes. For the past eight years, the Mount Pleasant Landowners' Group has been working cooperatively with several public agencies, including the Ministry of Natural Resources, the City of Brampton, and Credit Valley Conservation to come up with a plan to establish a four-and a-half kilometre natural heritage system, through 845 hectares of land within the Mount Pleasant Secondary Plan area. "OHBA and MNR want to commend the Mount Pleasant Landowners Group," said Vaccaro. "It took regular open communication, a lot of meetings, and a common end goal and during the process, they have forged a positive relationship between private and public interests."

OHBA also awarded Jim Andrews of Fieldgate Homes with the 2013 OHBA Rooftopper of the Year Award for his strong recruitment and retention of members at the local and provincial level. "Jim has been one of the association's top recruiters for close to a decade," said Vaccaro who continued, "Jim's hard work throughout the GTA over the past 10 years has led to the growth of BILD, our largest local association. He has worked diligently on behalf of the association and is very much deserving of this award."

Ashley Neville of Cogeco and Chuck McShane of Burnstein Brick were honoured for their contributions to their local association, the Niagara Home Builders' Association who were hosts of this year's conference. Susan Clinesmith of Enbridge Gas received a special recognition award for her years of leadership in the industry and her role as a strong supporter of energy efficiency in new home construction. "Susan is highly respected in the industry by builders, developers and green organizations," said Vaccaro.

The Ontario Home Builders' Association is the voice of the residential construction industry in Ontario representing 4,000 member companies organized into 30 local associations across the province. The industry contributes over \$42 billion to Ontario's economy, employing more than 325,000 people across the province.





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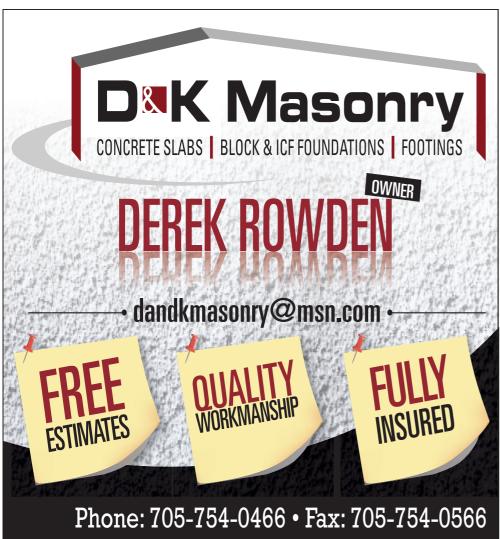
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Classic neutrals are a hit with interior designers



lassic neutrals are a hit with interior designers as the seasons change. For a fresh look that brings the home to life, designers are re-interpreting how to use them for the most appeal. Sharon Grech, a colour and design expert at Benjamin Moore, offers her easy tips on the best ways to combine neutrals for a modern look on this classic palette:

Combine Different Shades

Choose one neutral colour, whether it is a cool grey, a creamy white or a warm taupe, and combine several shades and tints of the colour to add visual interest, texture and depth to a room.

Pictured here, the living room incorporates various values of gray ranging from light to dark.

Accessories such as cozy throws or pillows in various textures like cable knits and stripes add another layer of depth.

Design Mixology

Don't be afraid to combine warm and cool neutrals. There is a definite design trend that allows for this combination, giving the space a rich complexity.

Illustrated in the photo is a warm neutral paint colour called Hidden Cove and it is the perfect match to Chateau on the baseboard trim.

Steely gray in the soft furnishings and warm tones in the wood pair well, giving the space a well curated, lived in look.

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Grech says that both colours are from the Colour Stories collection (by Benjamin

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As the weather cools, Canadians naturally want to bring in the rich colours of the season into the home. A neutral space is the perfect canvas to highlight fall's colour palette.

When entertaining guests for holiday dinners, beautiful accessories this season, like hot metals in copper and gold, become the focal point against a neutral backdrop.

Finish the look with chic white dishware for a modern feel.

Painted Furniture

The sky is the limit when it comes to choosing what furniture to refresh with paint. A dresser can be repurposed in the front entrance to store keys, mail and other odds and ends.

An up-cycled cabinet for the living room looks beautiful when topped with picture frames and vases of different shapes to keep the look interesting.

Designers often choose the Benjamin Moore colour Cloud White as the perfect neutral for painting furniture.

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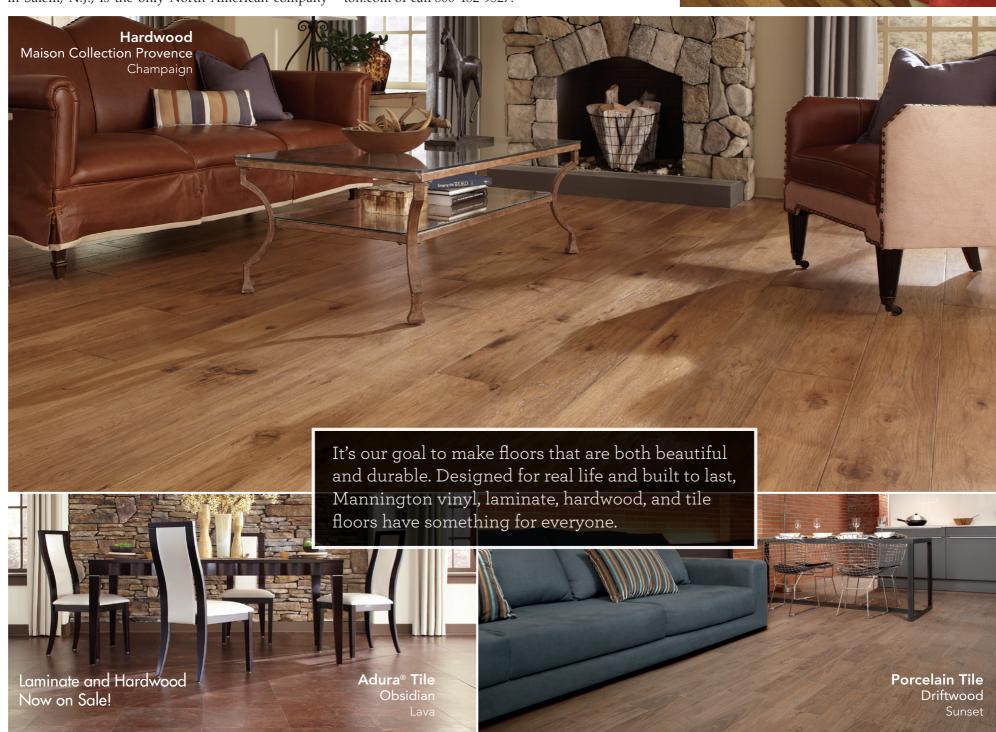
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Create a dramatic bedroom retreat

The bedroom is often the last room to be made over in the home. This private space takes a back seat when gathering places such as kitchens and living rooms require immediate attention. And yet, it doesn't take much to create a dramatic, relaxing bedroom retreat.

This look can be easily created with various painting techniques that make the walls the focal point of the room. Sharon Grech, a colour and design expert at Benjamin Moore, shares her tips on how to bring a unique, embellished look to the bedroom with easy to replicate paint and design techniques:

The New Wallpapering Effect

Wallpaper gives an elegant and lush look, but removing it can become a labour-filled task. One way to get the textured, patterned effect of wallpaper, simply by using paint, is with a patterned paint roller. Start with a warm base coat and then choose a complementary colour to create the painted pattern. The final result will look glamourous and is a cinch to achieve. Patterned paint rollers in varying designs can easily be found online.

Pattern on a Faux-Tin Roof

The bedroom walls don't always have to be the main focal point. A beautifully patterned ceiling using faux-tin evokes an unexpected, embellished look reminiscent of the Art Deco era. Once applied to the ceiling, they can easily be painted over in a complementary colour to the room, or painted with an antiqued finish for a more traditional look. In this photo, the colour Yukon Sky from the Benjamin Moore Natura line was used on the ceiling to add detail and interest. Grech says Natura is ideal for bedrooms because it contains zero-VOCs and virtually no odour. Homeowners can settle back into their room for a good night's sleep the same day they paint.

"No matter whether you are applying a new paint technique to the walls or to the ceiling," she emphasized, "don't shy away from bold design choices to create a dramatic look in the bedroom."

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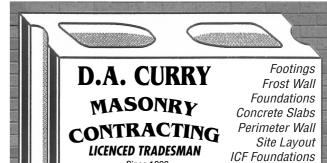
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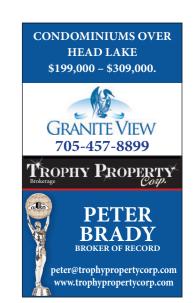
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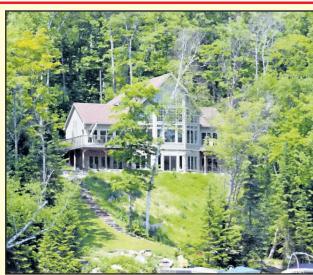


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any homeowners have found themselves scrambling to make their homes accessible ▲after a sudden injury or illness. In addition, some homeowners have found themselves looking to make adjustments to their homes in anticipation of welcoming elderly, less mobile relatives into their homes.

Converting a home into an accessible space can seem like a daunting task that requires adjustments to nearly every part of the house. While the extent of those adjustments depends on the individual who needs to be accommodated, some of the area's homeowners must address when making their homes accessible are universal regardless of the individual's condition.

Entryways

A home's entryways often must be addressed when making the home more accessible. Portable ramps can be an affordable option and are often an ideal for those who only need to make temporary adjustments, such as when a resident suffers an injury that requires he or she spend some time in a wheelchair. When the adjustments will just be temporary, a folding wheelchair might be necessary, as the doorways might not be able to fit a standard wheelchair that doesn't fold.

When adjustments figure to be permanent, homeowners might need to expand the doorways in their homes. Contractors typically recommend expanding doorways to at least 32 inches, which provides some maneuverability when wheelchairs, which are typically between 24 and 27 inches wide, are entering the home. Doorways at the most commonly used entryways, including front doors and doors to the bathrooms as well as the individual's bedroom, will likely need to be widened.

Bathroom

The bathroom might be the area of the home that needs the most attention. Slippery conditions common to bathrooms can make things especially difficult for people in wheelchairs or with disabilities. Grab bars should be installed in bath tubs, shower stalls and next

But grab bars aren't the only adjustment homeowners should make in the bathroom as they attempt to make a home more accessible. Safety treads, which can provide a secure, slip-free surface on the floors of showers and tubs, can be installed. Add a hand-held shower head to the shower stall to make it easier for those with a disability to shower. Portable transfer seats, which enable wheelchair-bound men and women to transition from their chairs to showers and bathtubs, can be purchased and kept in or near the bathroom.

Water fixtures

An often overlooked adjustment homeowners must make when transforming their homes into accessible spaces concerns the sinks throughout the home. Disabled persons may find it difficult to access faucets on sinks throughout the home, especially when there are vanity cabinets beneath the sinks. Replacing such sinks with pedestal sinks can improve maneuverability, but make sure such sinks are lower to the ground than standard pedestal sinks. A sink that's just a few inches lower than a standard sink is considerably more accessible to people in wheelchairs.

Closets

Closets are rarely accessible. Homeowners can address this issue by creating multi-level closet spaces so individuals can place their clothes at accessible heights. Closet shelves can be lowered and doors can be widened so disabled persons can easily manage their wardrobes. In addition, consider installing a light inside the closet and make sure the light switch can be easily reached from a wheelchair.

Making a home more accessible can be a significant undertaking, but many of the adjustments homeowners must make are small in scale and won't take long to complete.



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Pros and cons to acrylic tub systems

ncreasing the value of their home is a goal for many homeowners. Bathroom renovations are among the more popular home renovations, and they're often beneficial to homeowners thanks to their impact on a home's resale value. But bathroom renovations can be costly and messy and can disrupt the use of the bathroom for a week or more, depending on the scope of the renovation. The popularity of acrylic tub systems has risen due in part to their cost and convenience, but some homeowners wonder if an acrylic tub system is worth it in the long run?

Acrylic bath liners are custom-fit molds that are installed directly over an existing tub or shower and is glued into place. There is minimal work done in the bathroom, and the shower can typically be used quickly after installation.

There are a wide variety of companies that offer acrylic tub liners and systems, and many popular nationwide home im-

provement centers sell their own incarnations while also installing the product.

But there are pros and cons of acrylic tub systems. In certain instances, they can meet a homeowner's needs quite well, while they may not provide the same assurance as a traditional shower and tub replacement for other homeowners. Here are some of the pros and cons of acrylic tub liners and systems:

Pros

One of the primary reasons people look to these products is because no demolition is

necessary. Demolition of a bathroom often means taking the room down to the studs. Cemented tile will have to be broken and removed, and this usually ruins underflooring as well. Removing a tub that has been in place for years can also be a hassle, one that means heavy lifting, hiring a plumber to turn off water supply and/or cut pipes, and all of the mess that is left in its wake. Those who are anxious to have their bathrooms up and running quickly like the convenience acrylic liners offer.

Acrylic liners also take some of the work out of planning the new bathroom look. They're all-in-one sets that can include the tub liner and the wall surround. For those who tend to pour over details of tile designs and grout colours, these systems may be advantageous.

Another plus to acrylic liners is that they offer immediate gratification. On one hand, from start to finish, acrylic liner installation can take as little as six hours. On the other hand, a bathroom remodel can take many days, and if products are out of stock or changes are made, the renovation can stretch out indefinitely.

Acrylic bath liners are touted for their durability and longevity. They may be more durable than similar fiberglass tubs. And without grout lines and caulking around the tub, they may also be less likely to foster mold and mildew growth that often plagues even the tidiest bathrooms.

Cons

What they have in convenience and ease of installation, acrylic bath systems lack in other areas. Depending on the model, they can be quite costly. You generally pay more for the convenience of an acrylic liner and fast installation, sometimes four times as much as a traditional bathtub and labour. But some feel the life expectancy of an acrylic tub make them a worthy investment.

> Although acrylic is durable and requires basic care, the material can also be easily scratched, which can contribute to the accumulation of dirt in the scratches. Over time you may find the tub no longer has that pristine shine it once did. They're also susceptible to staining from hair dyes and other dark-coloured products, like bath-safe crayons and markers geared toward children.

Harsh abrasives should be avoided with many acrylic tubs, which can make cleaning difficult.

A poorly handled acrylic liner may crack during installation. There is uncertainty as to whether or not they can crack over time from routine use.

Because the acrylic bath is installed directly over an existing bath, the result may be a more narrow bath and higher tub walls, which can make the tub less comfortable. The new tub also may take up a few additional inches of space. Some people have concerns of mold accumulation between the liner and the old bath.

A professional bathroom remodel, complete with tile and a new tub, may have more aesthetic appeal than an acrylic surround. Homeowners aiming for aesthetic appeal over all else may be better off to avoid an acrylic tub.

Homeowners considering the installation of an acrylic tub system should weigh the pros and cons of the such systems before making a final decision.













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Stay safe with supplemental heating

hen the weather begins to grow cold, individuals turn to supplemental forms of heat for a variety of reasons. The rising cost of home ownership as well as escalating fuel prices often set people on a search for the least expensive and most efficient ways to keep comfortable during the cold weather season. Space heaters, wood-burning stoves and fireplaces are among the more common and popular supplemental heating sources.

The same heating sources that can be cost-effective and safe when used correctly can become hazardous when safety guidelines are not followed. In an effort to prevent property damage or loss of life, homeowners should follow the safety guidelines that come with a supplemental heating device. Also, simple steps can prevent fire and injury.

- Test smoke alarms monthly to ensure they are in proper working order. Should a malfunction of a heating appliance occur or a fire start, a smoke alarm could be your first indicator of a problem.
- · Keep anything that can burn at least three feet away from any heating equipment, including a furnace, a wood stove, portable space heaters, or a fireplace.
- Consider the use of a gate or another obstruction to keep children and pets several feet away from a space heater or another appliance that can easily be knocked over.
- Never use fuel-burning appliances without proper room venting to the outdoors to prevent carbon monoxide poisoning. Fuel includes everything from wood to gas to oil.

- Only use the fuel recommended by the product manufacturer.
- When making a fire in a stove or fireplace, never use flammable liquids to start or accelerate the fire.
- A wood-, pellet- or coal-burning stove should be burned very hot at least twice a day for about 30 minutes to reduce the creosote buildup in the chimney or flue.
- Chimneys should be professionally cleaned at the beginning of each use season to ensure there is nothing lodged within that can catch fire.
- Do not use an oven to heat the home while it is in the "on" position. You can leave the oven door open after cooking is finished so that residual heat can enter the kitchen, provided pets and children are kept away.
- Electric space heaters should be kept away from walls, curtains and furniture. Many now feature tip-over safety features that will turn the unit off should it be tipped over. However, it is always adviseable to use a space heater on a level, sturdy surface that is away from foot traffic in the
- All supplemental heating sources should be turned off or extinguished before leaving the house or going to bed.
- Carbon monoxide detectors should be installed in every level of the home. Install the detectors close to all bedrooms. Carbon monoxide is a colourless, odourless gas that cannot be detected easily. It quickly robs the body of oxygen and can be fatal when present in high amounts.

- Any stationery space heating equipment or HVAC system should be installed by professionals and inspected so that it adheres with local building codes. This is to ensure your safety as a homeowner.
- Use safety screens in front of fireplaces to prevent sparks from escaping.
- · Make sure the damper is open every time you light a
- Do not move a heater while it is hot or fill it with fuel at this time, except when adding wood to a stove.
- Cinders and ashes should be cleaned routinely from stoves and fireplaces and stored away from the home in a heat-safe container until cool.
- Never position an electric heater next to a water source.
- Extension cords should not be used unless absolutely necessary. The cords should be heavy duty and meet the draw of the heating unit. Also, they should be run so they don't present a tripping hazard, but also so the cords themselves do not create a combustion hazard.
- Children should not be allowed to touch or play near any heating appliances. Do not leave children or pets unattended in a room with a fire or space heater going.

Before investing in a heating unit, homeowners should consider adding more insulation to homes or caulking drafty windows and doors as a method to warming a home.

Many people use supplemental heating appliances frequently during the winter. Emphasizing safety when using such devices can prevent many of the fire hazards associated with these devices.

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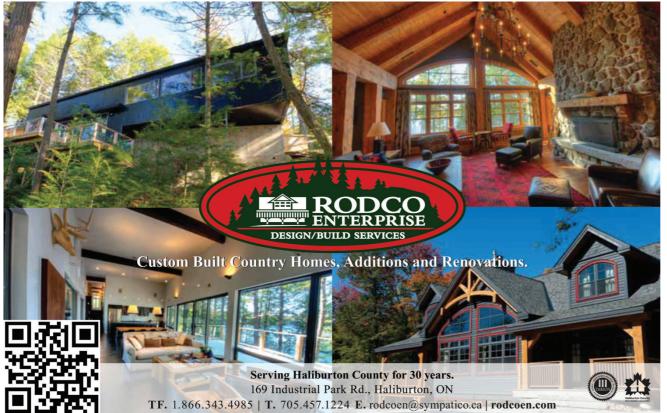


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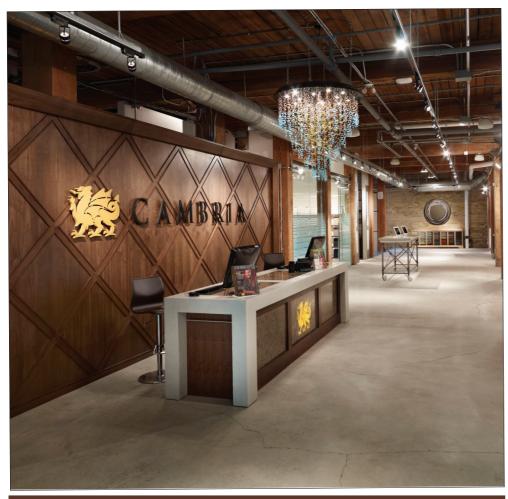


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Hawks powered by toughness

Darren Lum Staff reporter

It was a physical test that the Red Hawks senior football team easily passed at their home opener against the St. Peter's Secondary School Saints at the Gary G. Brohman Athletic Field on Thursday, Oct. 3.

Coach Tim Davies knows his team can play better, but acknowledges toughness was the difference in the 19-7 win.

"We won because we were tougher. We outmanned them. We outblocked them. That's why we won the game," he said.

The Red Hawks improve to 2-1-0 on the strength of some solid defense, great work

by the offensive line that helped enable Red Hawks tailback Tom Paul to score three touchdowns. Taking the bulk of the carries, Paul was helped by his leading blockers Cooper Sherlock and Jake Ruddell.

"I want to run the ball behind Jake Ruddell and Cooper Sherlock," he said, laughing about the two players well over six-feet-tall.

Tanner Hamilton, who played as a defensive back, special teams player and took a few carries, scored the other lone point on a conversion. Red Hawks player Jake Harrison caught an interception and ran it back more than 20 yards to steal back momentum late in the fourth quarter.

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Red Hawks senior tailback Tom Paul runs, carrying a St. Peter's Saints player during a rush at the Gary G. Brohman Athletic Field in Haliburton on Thursday, Oct. 3. Paul led the team with three touchdowns, assisted by lead blockers Cooper Sherlock and Jake Ruddell and his offensive line. The Red Hawks won 19-7 and improve to 2-1-0. **Darren Lum** Staff

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Missed chances leaves Red Hawks winless Alumni battle

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It was a week of close calls.

Despite a combined two goals allowed through two road games, the Red Hawks senior boys' soccer team was unable to strike the back of the net to win either game in Lindsay.

Coming Events



The senior boys' soccer team travelled to I.E. Weldon to play the Wildcats on Tuesday, Oct. 1. Much improved individual and team defending by Kirk Lopez, Jake Bursey, Tristan Rogers, and Brayden Frost, who held the Wildcats at bay for the first half. Unfortunately, Weldon took a 1-0 lead in the second half, and despite a near goal when Rin Shiina hit the crossbar, the final score was 1-nil for the Wildcats. Two days later, the senior boys' soccer team travelled to Lindsay to play the Spartans of Lindsay Collegiate Vocational Institute.

The teams were locked in a 0-0 draw, until the Spartans were able to score with six minutes left in the game, winning one-nil. The Red Hawks will host Crestwood Secondary School on Tuesday, Oct. 8 and Thomas A. Stewart Secondary School on Thursday, Oct. 10. Both games start at 3 p.m.



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Alumni battle for Fall Classic

Darren Lum

Staff reporter

A friendly rivalry between Red Hawks curling alumni is continuing into the professional ranks between former teammates Connor Duhaime and Jake Walker.

After a few years of the two meeting occasionally while curling against each other for their respective university teams, the two are continuing to square off in men's competitions this year starting with the fifth annual K-W Fall Classic at the K-W Granite Club in Waterloo from Sept. 26 to 29.

This recent round goes to Duhaime and his Scott McDonald rink over Walker, a former world junior champion.

Duhaime expected a good performance and enjoyed playing well against Walker, particularly coming out on top.

"We expected to have a strong showing here in Kitchener, but you never really know how it will go. To go undefeated is certainly a great way to start things off. Our goals as a team are to qualify for the [Ontario] Tankard Provincial Playdowns, and to gain enough points over the season to get invites to the Grand Slam tournaments," he wrote in an email. "And of course it's always fun to play Jake, especially when you come out on top. He has had my number in recent years, so it's nice to even things out a bit, ha ha. He has a strong team that I expect will have a good season."

Walker was satisfied with his team's performance, but said Duhaime's team deserved the (8-2 in the sixth end) win.

"Well ... there's obviously the feeling of 'I need to beat this guy because I used to play him' but at this level, who you're playing against becomes less of a factor and focus gets placed on simply making shots regardless of who your opposition is, but when they won there's no hard feelings. Just respect for acknowledging the fact that he deserved the win," he wrote in a text message.

It was virtually a reunion for the Red Hawks alumni.

Rob Ainsley competed in the Classic and lost in the first round while Edward Cyr, who was Walker's teammate in high school and in university, watched the final.

With both curlers on solid teams, this likely won't be the last meeting between the two.



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Pitch perfect for field hockey squads' road games

Darren Lum Staff reporter

The Varsity A ladies' Red Hawks team started slowly, beating the St. Peter's Saints 1-0 in an exhibition game and then turned it on in league play against Thomas A. Stewart Secondary

"[The Saints' game] was not our strongest game, but the girls did bring their 'A' game against TASS, which was a regular season game on the new artificial turf (6-0 win)," Caley Sisson said.

Sisson thought the turf played to the team's strengths.

"The girls adapted to the turf very well. We are a fit team and that was definitely a benefit playing on this surface... the game is quick and there is a great deal of emphasis on passing. Each of the girls channeled TASS players well, awarding us possession of the ball and we dominated play in their end for most of the

game. The girls had many shots on net, generating two goals from short corner plays," she said.

Goals were scored by: Alicia McLean (two goals), Connor Marsden, Tanisha Gordon, McKenzie Hill and Charlene Hicks. Netminder Sydney Cameron finished with a shutout.

Red Hawks B team dominates **Saints**

Varsity B played an exhibition game against St. Peter's and won 10-0.

"They played with a great deal of intensity, dominating play," Sisson said.

Goals were scored by Cierra Hurley (five goals), Emma Scheffee (three goals) and Alisha Bishop (two goals). The shutout was earned by Sydney Feir.

Hawks pull away

Red Hawks junior tailback Mac Rider tries to shake a St. Peter's Saints player at the Gary G. Brohman Athletic Field in Haliburton on Thursday, Oct. 3. The Red Hawks hung on for the 10-6 win. Rider scored the lone touchdown for the homeside in the defensive battle. See story on page

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Loss helps in second win

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The win came after dropping their last game 21-0 to the Kenner Collegiate Vocational Institute Rams while on the road on Sept. 27.

This loss, he said, prepared the team well and proved to be a factor in the victory.

Davies didn't think the Rams' game was an indication of his team's competitiveness.

"We were there with them. We made some changes on defence that will hopefully shore up the defence when we play them again," he said.

When down by just a pair of touchdowns, two turnovers on two separate drives were "pretty big plays" that hurt the team's chances.

"Hopefully we'll give them a better game when they come back up here. I'm happy with a two and one start. We could have played better today certainly our passing game can improve, crisped up a bit for the next time out," he said.

He adds special teams will need some work after seeing some dropped and mishandled balls. The kick returners, he said, need to take the ball in the air instead of letting the ball bounce.

Despite the issues, Davies is happy with the two wins compared to the last two seasons that saw them finish with losing records.

The Saints have lost two in a row, dropping to 1-2-0 on the season.

The Red Hawks will play Kenner in its next home game at 3 p.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 30.



Darren Lum Staff

Red Hawks senior defensive back Tanner Hamilton, bottom, steps to the line of scrimmage and upends a St. Peter's Saints ball carrier at the Gary G. Brohman Athletic Field in Haliburton on Thursday, Oct. 3. The Red Hawks won 19-7 and improve to 2-1-0.

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Juniors edge out Saints

Darren Lum

Staff reporter

It was a day of mistakes when the St. Peter's Secondary School Saints played the junior Red Hawks football team at the Gary G. Brohman Athletic Field on Thursday, Oct. 4.

From mishandled kick returns, fumbles, interceptions to even when the opposition failing to complete a kick off, running by the ball without touching it.

In the end the teams each had an estimated dozen penalties.

It's just the way junior football is, coach Bruce Griffith said.

"This seems the way in junior football and yesterday both teams made many errors, which made it a very defensive game. Our defence prevailed in the second half and stopped them cold," he said, referring to the final minute stand with the Saints threatening to score the game winner. "They only scored because we made a mistake in the first quarter fumbling the ball over to them on our five-yardline. We had two sure touchdowns called back due to holding penalties. The referees were throwing the penalty flag almost every play against both teams, I asked them after the game if their hands



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The game was played far from perfectly by the 3-0-0 Red Hawks.

"Not our best game but our toughest so far, St. Pete's also had a great defense and I'm pretty sure they had scouted us as they knew we like to throw the ball and who to," he said.

However the final 10-6 score for the Red Hawks was a testament to grit and passion.

Although it was the Red Hawks defense that really shone with several backfield tackles by Jalen Campbell, defensive coverage by Ryan Hill, who left near the game after a violent hit, holding his arm in the dying seconds of the game, it was Red Hawks junior player Mac Rider that stood tall on both sides of the ball.

He not only scored the lone highlight reel touchdown for the team when he took a short rush to the sideline and busted it open for a score, leaving defenders in his wake, but also provided the proverbial nail to the coffin, as he pulled in an interception at his own 15-yardline to shut down the last Saints' offensive drive.

During the game it was Haliburton's defense and special teams that forced the Saints to surrender three points.

The Red Hawks earned a pair of points when the Saints, stuck deep in their end, took a knee in their endzone. Late in the game, the Saints gave another point to the Red Hawks when they surrendered a safety pinned in their own end.

Rider's teammate Ethan Cooper factored in with a few big catches from quarterback Jaydon Wood, who scored a point with his successful extra-point conversion and completed several booming punts to force the Saints to start offensive drives deep in their own end.

The Red Hawks' next home game is against undefeated Thomas A. Stewart Secondary School, who is also undefeated. Whoever wins will be in first place for tier two Kawartha.

"Our goal is to be perfect, aggressive and have fun! Many of our experienced Grade 10 players may have to play both ways to help us win. The next two games are against weaker teams so that we can play everyone and give our rookies some more playing experience," he said.

Primary students participate in cross-country meet

Angelica Blenich

Staff reporter

The sun shone bright and the leaves looked crisp as primary students from across the county participated in the 13th annual cross-country meet at JD Hodgson Elementary School on Sept. 24.

The day-long meet saw ten area schools take part in the athletic event.

The top-ten primary results from the day are as follows:

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3. Danielle Barton	SBES	7:42
4. Sophie Longo	SBES	7:48
5. Charlotte Moynes	ASES	7:49
6. Bridgette Byrne	SBES	7:53
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3. Joshua Boyd	Birds Creek	7:15
4. Lucas Penney	SBES	7:17
5. Damon Harriss	ABES	7:20
6. Evan Armstrong	SBES	7:24
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8. Alex Stephan	Bobcaygeon	7:33
9. Anderson Smith-Merkley	Bobcaygeon	7:44
10. Ross Kelley	Cardiff	7:47
Primary Boys Team champion	s: Stuart Baker Ele	mentar
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Evan Armstrong, a Grade three student, participates in the annual cross-country meet in late September. Submitted



Water Festival spirit gushes with excitement

Darren Lum

Staff reporter

It seemed appropriate that the rains came for the first day of the two-day Haliburton-Muskoka-Kawartha Children's Water Festival at the Kinark Outdoor Centre, just outside of Minden on Monday, Sept. 30.

A steady shower, however, did little to dampen the enthusiasm of the hundreds of elementary school students who become empowered to be water stewards. By the end of the two days there were close to 1,200 students and more than 200 adults who participated in the event that provides children an overall education about water conservation, technology, protection, science and attitudes related to use.

"I think it went really, really smoothly," event organizer Irene Heaven said. "The kids were just ecstatic and even on Monday the little bit of rain didn't slow them down. The outside presenters that I managed to talk to as they were going out were very pleased. It's focused on kids, but of course they're bringing their parents [teachers and education assistants] so with 1,300 people

getting water messages from all those different stations I think is pretty incredible outreach for two days."

There were 49 activity stations, teaching elementary school students from all over the Trillium Lakelands District School Board, which includes schools from Haliburton County, City of Kawartha Lakes and the Muskoka District about water.

There were 309 Haliburton County students from J. Douglas Hodgson Elementary School, Archie Stouffer Elementary

School, Stuart Baker Elementary School and Wilberforce Elementary School, including several home schooled students and accompanying adults.

New to this year's event were five activities: Beaver Fever, Reptiles at Risk, Riparian Repair, Tread Lightly and the Algonquin Highlands Fire Service.

The activities drew throngs of children, Reptiles at Risk!, with children intent on touching or having a snake slither on and around their necks. Many will return next year. Next year, Heaven hopes to extend the reach of Water Hero (waterhero.ca). This year the Water Hero campaign has challenged all of the registered event participants to send in ideas and actions for water saving to be eligible to win the Big Splash Award

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Eight-year-old Aiden Jakus, who sits on an ATV from the Algonquin Highlands Fire Department, which was one of 47 festival activity stations, was one of more than a 1,000 students at the two-day Haliburton-Muskoka-Kawartha Children's Water Festival at Kinark Outdoor Centre Camp outside of Carnarvon on Monday, Sept. 30. The Grade 3 Stuart Baker Elementary School student received a well-rounded education about water. There were students from across the Trillium Lakelands District School Board that included Haliburton County, City of Kawartha and the District of Muskoka schools.

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Red Cow Bells echoed noisily through the arena, as the two teams took to the ice, and skated through their warm ups to loud rock and roll music. The Port Carling team seemed to have a "jump" in their step, staring down the visiting Storm every chance they got, relishing their "home atmosphere".

The intensity was evident from opening face-off, with both teams battling tough along the boards playing hard-nosed hockey, and doing their respective best, not to give up the first goal. Darian Willis, the Storm's star net-minder proved just that, by keeping his team in the game, stopping a few Thunder breakaways in the period, and five or six in the game. The visiting team opened the scoring with a tally from top scorer Nick Phippen, (one of the team leaders), who also added one more before the end of the frame, with Zack Davis assisting.

Entering the second with a two to nothing lead, the Storm netted a quick one from Brendan Coumbs 25 seconds in, on an assist by Jaylin Frost, increasing the lead to three. Port Carling answered quickly, again catching the Storm up ice, putting one past the goalie, on a breakaway. The second period ended seeing the Storm up three to

Two points in the standings at stake, and the third period in full swing, the opposing teams fought admirably with constant "back and forth" action, sustaining the intensity found in the first. Halfway through the frame, and the Storm pinned deep in their zone, the Thunders strong fore-check converted, to make it a one goal game, and a very interesting one to observe. Later, Phippen netted his third of the game, pushing the lead back to two, with six minutes remaining. Seconds counting down in the third, and the Thunder pressuring, the Storms goalie and team leader Willis, came up huge with save after big save, preserving the lead, and victory. Way to go Storm!

Submitted by Trevor Maddock

Storm girls win opener

The Minden Car Quest Midget B Highland Storm girls' hockey team started their 2013-14 season at home Friday night hosting the Ennismore Eagles. The Eagles came out flying and surprised the Storm squad, who were slow out of the gates. Ennismore scored an early first period goal the found its way through Connor Marsden. The Storm rebounded and finished strong with a more confident effort, scoring six unanswered goals to secure the home win. Alicia McLean tallied with two and singles went to Maddie Billings, Kelsey Maracle, Brynn Meyers and Sidney Feir. Kenndal Marsden chipped in with a hat-trick of helpers. Great way to start the season, ladies. On Sunday afternoon, the Minden Car Quest Midget B Storm girls welcomed the North York Storm into the new A.J. LaRue ice pad. The Highland Storm squad put practice into action and took their offensive attack to North York. The Highland Storm proved to be a hurricane compared to the weather system that arrived from the south as they easily handled North York with a 8-0 win. A better effort and more confidence was the difference in this game as the Highland Storm was never really challenged. Goal scoring highlights went to Alicia McLean, who sniped

four, and Kelsey Maracle and Kenndal Marsden, each scoring two beauties. Connor Marsden secured the shut-out turning away all North York shooters. Great early season efforts, ladies. Prepare for our Thanksgiving tilt against Durham West on the road Saturday afternoon against the Lightning they will be a bigger test for us. Next home game is Friday, Oct. 18 at 7 p.m. in Minden vs Ennis-

Submitted by Dan

Atom AE face Otters

Saturday afternoon, the Highland Storm Atom AE team visited the astonishing Canada Summit Centre, to face the Huntsville Otters. A team whose continuity and sound play was obvious from the onset.

The game began, with





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Storm shuts out Port Carling Thunder

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the Storm steadily under siege, a direct result of Huntsville's fore-check, thwarting the Storm's efforts to clear the zone "pinch" after "pinch". The return of Ava Smith to the defensive corps, and the fine play of speedy defenceman Hunter Winder, helped keep the Otters off the board, and solidify the "House defence", a concept introduced by head coach Rich Smith. The Otters finally got one past the Storm's goalie, Darian Willis, who stood on his head making 40 saves, for the game. Never really able to transition to offence, the period ended with the Storm down 3-0.

Within the first six minutes of play the second, the two teams traded goals, making the score 4-1, the Storms goal breathed a bit of life into the team. Ben Robinson, showing soft hands, with the goal, Jaylin Frost and Emily Alexander assisting. The period saw most of the play in the Highland Storm's end. Having trouble exiting their defensive zone, and the Otters eventually adding another to increase the lead to 5-1, going into the third.

When the Storm manage to avoid the collapsing Otters defence: they were successful. scoring goals at a 33 per cent rate, but were eventually out-shoot 46-9, for the game. Early in the third Ava Smith scored with a blast from the point, catching the opponents off guard, assisting was Alexander, and Sterling Nesbitt. The Storm grasped all the momentum provided from that goal, and put the impressive Huntsville team on their heels, and at times appearing scrambled. A great team effort, produced again just six minutes later, this time off the stick of Ty Mills, who went high on the Otters goalie; Owen Harrison, and Ava Smith with the helpers. The intensity rose as the scoreboard read 5-3 and signified the closest the Storm were to tying their challenging adversaries. The period continued with both teams engaging firmly, trading scoring chances, and entertaining the loud audience with the superb efforts on display. Eventually the Otters netted another with just over a minute left to play, and rounded out the victory 6-3. Great effort team and better luck next time!

Just over 24 hours after the Storm's loss to Huntsville, they suited-up against a familiar

foe, in the Port Carling Thunder in Minden on Sunday, Oct. 6. Having already met twice this early season, the two teams didn't hesitate to mix it up, battling hard with a team well acquainted. Not until halfway through the first, did the Storm strike, with a nice rebound goal by Emily Alexander, Nick Phippen and Ben Robinson with the assists. With only 57 seconds left in the period, the Thunder scored on a breakaway, finishing the first, tied at one.

Opening the scoring flood gates in the second, was the Storm's speedy and reliable defenceman Hunter Winder, with an unassisted, "catch-me-if-you-can" breakaway.

The momentum undoubtedly tilting their way, Nick Phippen caught fire, and started an eight-minute offensive tirade, scoring four straight goals, with the Thunder netting one in that same span. To make matters worse for the visitors, Ty Mills, added another with 14 seconds left, widening the lead to 7-2.

With a comfortable lead, the Storm entered the third frame feeling good, but had the Thunder strike first with a Josh Terry breakaway, who was the only Thunder scorer thus far. The thunder, who was winning the period later added another, making the score 7-4.

Scoring machine, Phippen and the always consistent Jaylin Frost regained the momentum with goals, putting the Storm back up by five. With such a lead and the superb defensive play from Winder, and Ava Smith, the game was put out of reach, and Port Carling adding a late goal, with a minute left, mattered little in the out-come of the game. Storm victorious 9-5. Ben Robinson, Brendan Coumbs, Hunter Winder, and Emily Alexander all added an assist each.

Submitted by Trevor Maddock

Storm Novices Iose

The Highland Storm Novices headed to Gravenhurst for their first game against the South Muskoka bears on Friday, Oct. 4. With a slow start the bears attacked the net came up with five goals in the first period. The Storm regrouped going into the second but fell short with the bears scoring another four goals. The Storm tried their best with shot after shot not receiving any breaks the bears scored another 4 to make the final score 13-0. On Saturday, Oct. 5 the Mariposa Lightning

came to Haliburton. The Lightning opened up the scoring in the first. Both teams battled back and forth with Gage Hutchinson scoring to tie it up. As Damon Harriss was doing everything but stand on his head to keep the puck out. The two teams went into the second period tied at 1. Battling back and forth Mariposa scored three unanswered goals to end the period leading 4-1. Highland Storm fighting back tried their best to get one in the net but Mariposa sneaked another one in to end the game 5-1. Our next game is in Minden against Parry Sound starting at 11.

Submitted by Ron Hall

Teams evenly matched

Highland Storm Bantam AEs met with Port Carling for the first time this season at home on Saturday. Although this was Port Carling's A team, the teams were fairly evenly matched. Port Carling put the pressure on early but Storm goalie Ryan Hannah was up to the task and the team was able to withstand the early going. By mid-period the tide had turned. Zak Shantz passed back to Ryan Manning at the blue line and

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Remembering Howard Anderson

Wilberforce

Hilda Clark

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The students from the Wilberforce Elementary School who recently participated in the cross country races at a meet at J. D. Hodgson School in Haliburton were Hailey Alden, Justice Donaldson, Chelsea Flynn, Sydney Little, Taylor Donaldson, Desi Davies, Michael Rogers, Erik Morrison, Brittany Hewer and Tiffany Tarbett. Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Phipps and Mrs. Foulds ran practices with the students. Mrs. Foulds, who coached the students at the meet, was pleased with the fine effort the runners put forth and that they all completed the course. Congratulations to all the Wilberforce students who participated in this year's Terry Fox Walk. Mrs. Drake organized that event for the students this year.

The full parking lots were an indication that the Lloyd Watson Centre would be crowded last Saturday afternoon. And it was. Many did come to remember and share memories of Howard Anderson. They came. They lingered. They talked with members of Howard's family and with each other wanting to share the sadness of the loss of a friend, a husband, a brother, a grandfather, and a good neighbour.

Howard touched many lives in his 65 years. He lived, worked and played in his own unassuming manner, contributing quietly in a variety of ways in this area and beyond. And those touched by him came to the centre that was built while Howard was serving on Monmouth council. It was a good gathering that honoured a good man. As his sister commented, "Howard would have been gobsmacked" by this gathering in his memory.

Howard Price Anderson died peacefully at home on Sept. 26. Again, sympathy is extended to all of his family and friends.

One can't say enough about the volunteers who pitch in to put on the annual turkey dinner that will take place this Saturday, Oct. 12 at the Lloyd Watson Centre. The local agricultural society organized this event. It is now a tradition of serving a fine meal and of raising funds to support the annual agricultural fair that takes place every August. Supper begins at 5 p.m. right after the Lion's Club prizes are awarded to winners for entries at the fair. Who will they be this year?

The Harvest Thanksgiving service, a long time tradition at St. Margaret's Anglican Church, has taken place. Garden produce and flowers that were offered and creatively arranged there will remain for the national Thanksgiving Day weekend. Service time is 11:15 a.m. Sunday. All are welcome.

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Euchre last Tuesday night had these results: High: Dorothy Byrne and Henk van Nood. Low: Rebecca Gray and Noni Richardson. Most Lane Hands: Kay Morrison and Gerald Hadley.

Storm kill off several penalties

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his shot made its way to the back of the net through a screen of players. Shortly after Trevor Turner poked in a rebound from Alec Stoughton under the Post Carling goalie but 20 seconds later Port Carling came back to bring the score within one. With less than a minute left in the first, Alex Petrie passed back to Alex Wilbee off the face-off to restore the two goal lead. It was a dismal start to the second period and the Storm were forced back on their heels. Post Carling scored two identical goals to tie it up after wrap-around attempts were foiled but supported by pressure in front.

In the third, Mitch Billings received a pass from Jake Bull and followed his own rebound on the power-play and a few minutes later Matt Manning fed Ben Schmidt whose high wristshot brought the lead to 5-3. A last minute goal by Port Carling made for a tense final few seconds but the Storm withstood the pressure to remain undefeated.

On Sunday, the Huntsville Otters travelled to Minden to face our boys for the second time this season. The game

was a fast-paced, penalty-filled affair and showed a muchimproved squad who were blown out by the Storm the first time they met. The Storm scored two goals late in the first period to give themselves a cushion that they would never relinquish. Ryan Prentice started it off from the blue line after Ben Schmidt won the draw back to Prentice in the Otter end zone. Two minutes later Ryan Manning dug the puck out from behind the net and fed DylanFreake who popped it in to make it 2-0.

The Storm were forced to kill off several penalties in the second and Ryan Hannah stood on his head to keep the Otters off the board. In a disturbing trend that has shown up in several Storm games, Huntsville finally scored on a power play with less than two minutes left to bring the game to within one. Although Huntsville pulled their goalie, Alex Petrie secured the win by potting an empty-netter with just under a minute left. This promising squad will need to display a killer instinct if they want to guarantee wins without the dramatics of empty net goals in the final minutes.

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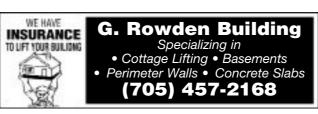
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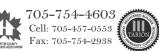




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Graveside Service

A Private Graveside Service will be held at Evergreen Cemetery, Haliburton. As expressions of sympathy, donations to the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation or Highland Wood Resident's Council would be appreciated by the family. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the HALIBURTON COMMUNITY FUNERAL HOME 13523 Hwy. #118, Haliburton, Ontario (705)457-9209.

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PUGSLEY, Jim

Passed away peacefully, on Wednesday, October 2, 2013, at Riverglen Haven Nursing Home.
Beloved husband of the late Doreen Pugsley, loving father of Jim, Beth, Terry (Steve), and Lee (Diane), cherished grandfather of Jessie, Jennifer, Steph, Shane, Karena, Jonathan, and Shannon, proud great-grandfather of Leah, Tyler, Keelan, and Alice, and dear brother of Barbara Edwards.

Family and friends gathered at the Jerrett Funeral Home, 660 Kennedy Road, 416-266-4404, on Monday, October 7th from 12 noon until the time of the service in the Chapel at 1 p.m. In keeping with his wishes, cremation had

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~Love Mom and Dad

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In loving memory of a Daughter, Sister & Aunt

Brenda (Campbell) Moore who left us three years ago Oct. 1st 2010

> They say that times a healer But as the time goes on We seem to find it just as hard To face the fact that you're gone You'll never be forgotten Everyday we shed our tears, But it's only because we love you And wish you still were here

Thinking of you and missing you Mum, Dad, Brian, David, Sue, Wes, Amy & Cody



In memory of my mom
October 12 is not the best of my life.
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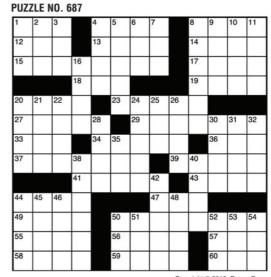
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HOW TO PLAY:

Fill in the grid so that every row, every column, and every 3x3 box contains the numbers 1 through 9 only once.

Each 3x3 box is outlined with a darker line. You already have a few numbers to get you started. Remember: You must not repeat the numbers 1 through 9 in the same line, column, or 3x3 box.

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33. "Long

and Far

Away"

34. Severe

36. Beam

37. Without

pause

39. Wake up

41. Not glossy

43. Plays the

horses

44. To boot

47. Neckline

shape

49. Stole

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ACROSS 1. Cube or tray

- 4. Squiggly
- 8. Short play 12. Paving stuff
- 13. Burn soother 14.Loosen
- 15. Songbirds 17. Lighting gas
- 18. Rustic hotel
- 19. Remove from print
- 20. Asset 23. Italian port
- 27. Ran easily 29. "Rosie the
 - 50. Tyke's transport

- 55. Double-reed
- instrument 56. Cry of pain 57. Rowing tool
- 58. Repair 59. Wise about 60. Color fabric

DOWN

- 1. That thing's
- 2. Head cover
- 3. Pitcher's stat 4. Alert
- 5. Beside
- 6. Personal commitment
- , Sir, That's My Baby"

8. Frozen dish _-jerk

reaction

worship

10. Object of

11.Hue

16. Get up

20. Organize

21. Corporate

symbol

22. At the top

24. Spew forth

matter

28. Statistics

31. Direction

32. Canadian

whiskeys

30."____ Grit"

26. Mind

- 35. Camp bed 38. Cured, as
 - meat 40. Comply with
 - 42. Kick out
 - 44. Powerful particle
 - 45. Ear part
 - 46. Any moment 48. Resounding
- sound 50. Excessively
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 - 52. Atlantic food fish
 - down the law
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